

**PATENT**

**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

**In re Application of:**

Chen et al.

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September 4, 2007**

**RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANT AMENDMENT (37 CFR 1.121)**

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

The Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment mailed August 2, 2007 has been received and reviewed. The Notice indicates that the amendment document filed July 25, 2007 is considered non-compliant because it fails to meet the requirements of 37 CFR 1.121 or 1.4. Specifically, claims 104 and 105 had incorrect status identifiers. The Notice also states that only the corrected section of the non-compliant amendment is required to be resubmitted. Therefore, a complete listing of the claims follows, including corrected status identifiers for claims 104 and 105.

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If any issues preventing allowance of the above-referenced application remain that might be resolved by way of a telephone conference, the Office is kindly invited to contact the undersigned attorney.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in a Listing of Claims which begins on page 3 of this paper. This Listing of Claims replaces the Listing of Claims that was included in the Amendment filed July 25, 2007.

**Remarks** begin on page 21 of this paper.